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*In re* application of:

LESTER *et al.*

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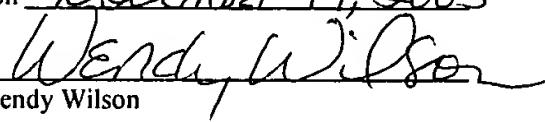
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of May 20, 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 18-24.

The Appeal Fee of \$165.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Order No. A-63098-1/RFT/468250-8).

Respectfully submitted,

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